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Read FARMING—one year with this paper for only 50c more.

Clarence Haass is spending the week with his uncle at Devine.

FOR SALE—A residence in Hondo. See J. A. Blackburn. 47-tf.

There will be horse races at Hondo July 5. Watch for race program.

FOR RENT—A house in the southeast part of town. Apply at this office. 45-tf.

August Kempf, District Clerk, spent last week in San Antonio with his children.

Frank Rihn and wife of Biry spent Wednesday in Hondo, guests of Adolph Haass and family.

Mrs. Joe R. Monkhouse had as her guest this week her sister, Miss Estelle Wood, of Uvalde.

The two and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Moore has been very sick this week.

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H. F. Haass, a former Medina Countian writes, "I hurt my foot on the 5 of April, 1925, while I was unloading gravel at the Olmas Dam above San Antonio, and I have been laid up ever since June, 1925, and I am just getting so again that I can get around on crutches. I was down in bed for 8 months and it seems as though I will never get over it again."

"Well, Mr. Davis. I notice a guy by the name of Moody wants to be our next Governor, but not if my and my family's vote can stop him." Mr. Haass' numerous Medina County friends will join us in wishing him a complete recovery from his injuries.

Misses Stella and Lena Stone and Bess Brucks left Thursday for New Orleans to begin a three week's cruise, leaving New Orleans on the S. S. "Carthage" on Saturday, June 1, and going to Havana and other points on the islands and then through the Panama Canal and return, a distance of 3,174 nautical miles, returning to New Orleans on July 5th.

Can't be without the Anvil Herald; it is just like a letter from home." So writes Hubert Zinsmeister from Brackerville when sending in his renewal for the old home paper and its journalistic partner, Farming. Who that ever knew the pleasures of "a letter from home" but would appreciate such a compliment.

Mrs. J. E. Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Frerichs and two little boys, who spent the past month with relatives here, left Thursday for their home at Douglas, Arizona. They were accompanied by Mrs. Martha Frerichs who will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Schmidt.

H. E. Haass, Attorney-at-Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Company. Rod Maps of Medina County, cloth. \$5. paper. \$3. 15

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FOR SALE—A 1925-Model Ford. Has a good engine and can be made over into a useful truck for light hauling. Apply at this office. 22-tf.

Revs. G. E. Grueber and C. P. Haaskarl left Wednesday for Knippa to attend a two-day conference of the Yorktown District Lutheran conference.

A two week's revival meeting begins tomorrow at the Baptist church. The congregation and pastor extend a cordial invitation to all to attend the services.

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Mrs. L. J. Brucks and daughter, Miss Lillian, left Tuesday for Chicago where they will attend the Eucharistic Congress. While in Chicago they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brucks, Jr. and Mr. Charles Brucks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bilhartz and children, who had been visiting relatives here for several weeks, returned to their home at Ranger Monday accompanied by Mrs. Bilhartz's sister, Mrs. Earl Watson, and little daughter, Urlene.

FOR SALE—One thousand acre oil and gas leases on any part, out of surveys 740, 741, 742, 747, 599 and 603, Medina County, Texas. Am selling to highest bidder. Lease executed Sept. 27th, 1921. Mrs. Myra De Forrest, 1107 Stanford Ave, Oakland California. 45-4t.

FOR SALE—25-45 Rumley engine and 32-inch separator. This equipment has been thoroughly rebuilt and is in A-1 mechanical condition. Have just finished my own harvest and do not need it. \$1,000 will take it. A bargain. J. S. Wilson, Sabinal, Texas. 1t.

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TARVER & SPRAGUE IN MEDINA CO. HAVE A SMALL WELL.

Tarver & Sprague's test in Medina County at a little below 1,100 feet in survey 91 is said to be a well. It had not been fully completed Tuesday and additional work was being done on it, but it is said to have eight feet of sand and to have all the appearance of a well that will make six or eight barrels a day at least and possibly when completed, may develop and prove to have greater production.

Ever since the Henderson & Holden first gas well on the Adams tract came in oil men have been speculating on the probable location of oil production and the Tarver & Sprague well may materially assist in finding the oil pool. Some theories are that it is on the southeast edge of a structure that takes the usual northeast-southwest trend of field in Balcones Fault zone, the Adams wells of Henderson & Holden being on the apex of the structure, while the McBride well off to the north drilled a year or two ago and that got a little oil, according to the theory would be on the northwest edge of the structure.

While thus far Medina County has not produced any big production from deep tests, oil interests are giving the county increased attention and study, due to the widely scattered showings of shallow oil. There is more drilling in Medina at this time than in any county in Southwest Texas outside of the Mirando district, and the logs of the wells being drilled, even if they result in dry holes, are furnishing the geologist the sub-surface information that is valuable in locating fault lines and structures, and possible accumulations of oil.—Wednesday's Express.

NOTICE, ADVERTISERS AND CONTRIBUTORS.

We want to lock our forms at noon Friday. We have to do this to get the paper into the mails on time. You will greatly assist us by getting your copy in at the earliest possible moment. By all means, have it in our hands not later than Thursday afternoon. By taking due notice of this and acting accordingly you will confer a great favor on us and avoid disappointment for yourself.
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Mrs. H. J. Meyer was hostess of a charming bridge at her home day afternoon.

Tallies in blue and yellow chosen and three tables of 12 were soon in progress. When score was counted, Miss I. Brucks held high score and was presented with a bottle of perfume. Miss Anne Davis received the consolation prize, also a bottle of perfume.

During the evening iced juice was served and the conclusion of the games a plate lunch of chicken salad, potato chips, and crackers, with iced tea and candies, was served to the following: Misses Clara Decker, Lorraine H. Dee Crow, Bessie, Lillian and Jeanne Brucks, Evelyn Wilson, Mae Gaines, Dutz and Anne D. Mrs. Floyd Griffith of Dallas and hostess, Mrs. H. J. Meyer.

MRS. BEHAN HONORED.

Honoring Mrs. Eugene V. Behan of Fort San Houston, Lorraine Heft entertained with a bridge of charming appointments Saturday afternoon. A color scheme of yellow and white featuring Shasta daisy, was prettily carried in the decorations in living and dining room. When scores counted Mrs. R. J. Noonan held and received a yellow and white powder-puff box. The guest presented two beautiful handkerchiefs, and bouquet of Shasta daisies went Mrs. Felix Richter as holder of score.

The guests were: Mesdames L. Brucks, H. J. Meyer, E. V. Behan, Robert Decker, R. J. Noonan, O. Miller, W. H. Smith, Horace Brad Fletcher Davis, L. E. Heath, F. Richter and Miss Lucille de Mon.

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DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From the Devine News.
Several Hundred Men and Boys at Work.

One man, who was at the packing plant quite a bit of the time and also in the fields where men were gathering green corn, said there were probably 300 or 400 men and boys at work, gathering, packing and loading roustingears. A dozen trucks and probably fifty men were brought here by the shippers and every idle boy and man in town who can carry a basket of corn or shucks have been employed. The wages are 20 cents the hour, unskilled labor. Experienced men are getting more. The Crockett Plant is using seven cooling vats and Melton & Driscoll four. Melton & Driscoll are using all home labor. The trucks go to the fields and the men go in twos, one carrying a sack, the other a large knife. The corn is cut and put in the bags, then loaded on trucks. When it reaches the plants, it is stripped of the loose husks, packed 30 to 40 ears in a bushel basket, sunk for a few minutes in ice cooling vats, and then taken to the car, where it is packed with ice. In this way it reaches St. Louis and points further north and east cold and fresh. We understand the farmers are getting thirty cents the bushel, or about \$1.00 the barrel (bushel) if the corn were matured, the company doing the gathering, leaving the stalk, and whatever additional ears might be upon it, to mature other corn. The corn will be gone over the second time and there will be left a gleaming of corn sufficient for home feed, in most fields. This is the third year for Mr. Crockett here. The first year for local people.

Little son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dinscore of Zigzag was bitten by a copperhead snake at 1 p. m. Tuesday. He was rushed to town for medical aid and not finding a doctor was carried to Lytle. At ten that night he was very ill from the poison and was expected to live. The child was playing in the yard and the snake was in a large oleander bush. J. A. Blackburn and Liman Morris, ex-Devine citizens, now residing in Hondo, were here Monday, on a ride. Mr. Blackburn wishes to move to Devine and Mr. Morris was interested in property, he was trying to trade Mr. Blackburn.

Mr. Jim Bellamy from Floresville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Love, Tuesday night.

Mrs. August Schmidt and daughters from El Paso were guests of sister Mrs. Alfred Biry, Friday. We were visited by a nice rain Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blackburn are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Biry in San Antonio two days the last week.

Misses Hilda Haass and Golda and Elva Bell Bihartz spent Saturday morning in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Posch and his Mary were guests of Mrs. Annie Eichhorn in San Antonio Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pearce and Mrs. Martin Schmidt spent Friday evening in Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Love and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Love.

Mrs. John Blackburn and daughters from San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blackburn Wednesday.

Mr. Rudolph Posch and Miss Mary Posch spent Saturday at Quihi. Let's all go to church at Black Creek this week and next.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Biry and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Max Bippert at La Coste. Misses Schmidt from Hondo spent Sunday with their brother.

FOR SALE.

One second hand J. T. Case threshing machine in No. 1 condition, at bargain, if sold at once.

Apply to OTTO VOGHT, Boerne, Texas.

There will be horse races at Hondo July 5. Watch for race program.

GOLDEN WEST'S NO. 5 IN INA FIELD IS GOING ON PUMP.

Golden West Oil Company has completed its No. 5 Schmidt in the Ina field and the well was going on the pump Thursday. It had all the appearance of being a good well, but will prove better what it is going to do on the pump. Golden West's No. 2 and the Eastham & Tarver No. 1 and the Arnett No. 3 are all in a line and have proven the best wells in the field. Golden West No. 2 has been pumping 25 barrels a day for the past 90 days without being touched and is showing up well.

The No. 6 for Golden West will be located 300 feet to the west of No. 5 and on the south line of the company's lease there. It is expected that this well will stop at the 325-foot sand found in the No. 5 well and will endeavor to test it out to see whether or not it has commercial possibilities.

Golden West's No. 1 and 2 Odom are being abandoned at 450 feet. The No. 1 was left standing while the No. 2 was drilled. When the crew came back to the No. 1 to pull the casing they found about 15 feet of oil in the hole and on the strength of this showing the well was drilled deeper. However it failed to find any more oil and casing is being pulled in both the No. 1 and No. 2 Odom and they will be plugged and abandoned.

Golden West's wildcat well in the eastern part of the county, a little southwest of Castroville, has been spudded in and is drilling at about 100 feet. It is on the Courand farm. —Friday's Express.

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"I couldn't sleep and I was never hungry, and I kept getting weaker. I couldn't stand on my feet. This was an unusual condition for me as I had been pretty strong all along. I knew that I would have to do something, and that pretty soon."

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Train No. 104, due at 12:02 P. M. (U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 8, due at 5:53 P. M. (U. S. Mail.)

Train No. 228, due at 2:05 A. M. No. 101, Sunset Limited, west bound, due at 6:14 A. M., picks up passengers for points west of El Paso, Texas.

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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1926.

ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Mrs. Jos. L. Tschirhart was taken to San Antonio Thursday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Henry Vonfle attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Fred Braun at Moore Thursday.

Justice Court was grinding awhile Friday.

Carpenter Louis Fuos built a Ladies Rest Room for Mr. Joe A. Bader proprietor of the Three Point Filling Station, the past week.

Dr. and Mrs. Barsch and Mrs. Walter Kralick and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, were Alamo City visitors Sunday afternoon.

The Loly Pop dance at Electric Park Hall was largely attended and much enjoyed.

Mrs. Ariel Haby of Cliff joins our happy band of readers this week.

Justice Court was again grinding Monday.

Messrs. Henry Vonfle, Alois Grimsinger and Ed. Tschirhart Sr. left

this (Tuesday) morning for San Antonio to attend the Old Freighters Reunion.

Harvey Hans boarded the west-bound Buss this morning bound on a visit to kinfolks at Utopia.

MARRIED.

Mr. Cornelius Haby of Bader Settlement and Miss Elsie Sittre of Riomedina were happily united in the Holy Bonds of Matrimony at St. Louis Church, Tuesday morning, June 8, 1926, Rev. Father Heckman performing the nuptial ceremony. The attendants were Mr. Stanley Haby and Miss Tessie Sittre. After the ceremony the happy young couple left on a bridal trip to Corpus Christi and other points. After their return, they will make their future home at Bader Settlement. We join in wishing the newly-weds a long, a happy and a prosperous married life.

City last Friday.

Geo. Frey and son, Tom, from here last Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred B. Tschirhart from the Sauz was a visitor here last Saturday.

Adolph C. Ihnken from the Pear Valley Ranch was a business visitor here Monday.

Gertrude Lessing of Macdona is spending the week here with Faustine Christilles.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frisenhahn and little son from Converse were visiting Alex Jungman and family here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stein and daughters and little son from Cliff were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger here Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Howard of Pearson and little Miss Tommie DuBose of Devine who is visiting with Mrs. Howard were visitors here last Saturday.

Archie Koontz, who was attending school in Sutton, West Virginia, returned to his home here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller and daughter, Miss Octavia, and Miss Ida Conrad were Castroville visitors Sunday evening.

Mrs. Joe Hutzler and son, Wilfred, Mrs. Louis Biediger and Miss Ruby Mann were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mrs. Herman Bippert and daughters, Misses Lorine, Ella and Nora, of Riomedina were the guests of Mrs. Paul Tschirhart and children last Thursday.

The dance in the W. O. W. Hall Sunday night was largely attended by our people and many from surrounding towns were here. Every one had a fine time.

W. S. Fields and son, Harry, from Macdona were business visitors here Tuesday. While here they purchased a Letz Dixie Feed Mill from the LaCoste Mercantile Co.

Miss Lucille Koontz, who was teaching the Pearson School the past year left Monday evening for San Marcos where she will attend the Summer Normal.

Mrs. Annie Weiblen from the Sauz was called to the bedside of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Rolph Balzen, at Knippa last Tuesday. Mrs. Balzen is still very ill at this writing.

Mrs. Frank Keller and daughters, Misses Carrisa and Octavia, and Mrs. J. C. Biediger and sons were visiting Jacob Rihn and family at Spindletop Monday evening. Miss Carrisa remained there for a several days visit.

Mrs. Max Biediger from Pearson was rushed to San Antonio last Friday, where she immediately underwent an operation for appendicitis. At this writing she has been improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Christilles and daughter, Faustine, and Gertrude Lessing were visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Braden at Moore Sunday afternoon.

The LaCoste Mercantile Co. sold and delivered an Advance Rumley Grain Separator to Mr. Emil Mechler several weeks ago. This machine is now in operation on Mr. Mechler's farm. Anyone interested is welcome to inspect same at any time, as Mr. Mechler will be glad to show you the features of the machine.

Carpenter D. R. Bippert built a self supporting grain bin for Mr. Richard Zinsmeyer at the Sauz the

past week. This bin is so constructed that grain stored in it will all come out through a spout without any shoveling, for sacking or thrashing. This is the second bin of its kind built in this community. Mr. H. W. Keller also of the Sauz, was the first farmer to erect one.

SIX CARS OF OATS LEAVE LACOSTE DAILY.

Hauling and shipping of oats is still in full swing here, an average of six cars a day have been loaded and shipped from here since June 1st.

It is nothing unusual to see 16 truck loads of oats lined up at the Warehouses of the Farmers Union and the LaCoste Mercantile Co. waiting their turn to unload.

Miss Mary Szaman of San Antonio spent Sunday here.

Sebastian T. Marty of Castroville was visiting relatives here Monday. Carpenter Adolph Reymann is plying his trade in the Aamo City for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kirby of Macdona were visiting Thomas Kirby and family here last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hitzfelder son, Alex Jr., were Lytle visitors Monday.

Frank Rihn and family from the Black Creek Community were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Miss Willie Biediger from Spindletop was the guest of Misses Annetta and Myrtle Droitcourt here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jackel and daughter, Antonio, Hugo Jackel and Mr. and Mrs. Flach of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Echtle and family Sunday.

Mr. August Heyene, who was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Adolph Ihnken at the Pear Valley Ranch for several weeks, left Thursday for his home in Port Arthur.

Misses Alma Jungman and Eva Hawkes, who were teaching in the LaCoste Public School the past year left here Sunday in Miss Alma's Willys Knight for San Marcos where they will attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger, Mrs. J. C. Biediger and Miss Clarissa Keller were San Antonio visitors last Friday. They were accompanied there by Lillian and James Reicherzer who spent several weeks here.

Mr. George Echtle presented the Editor some fine large apples and peaches which he grew on his place north of town. The apples are of the Helm variety and are as large as any we have seen yet. Mr. Echtle informs us that the tree has over a bushel of apples all the same size.

"THREE GRADUATES GAY."

Josie Marie Lebold—
What shall she be and why?
She'll surely be a typist,
For she broke the record at St. John's High.

Thelma Kathryn Decker—
So kind and polite,
She intends to be a stenographer,
And to work with all her might.

Evelyn Marie Finger—
Both accommodating and kind,
She wants to go to college,
So some work she may also find.

These three graduates left St. John's High,
On June 1st, 1926.
They leave good examples for both large and small,
That into their characters these they may affix.

—Ruby M. Rieber, '27.

PAVING 35-MILE ROAD IN MEDINA CO. STARTS.

Laying the asphalt on a 35-mile stretch of Highway No. 3 through Medina County was started Tuesday, Maj. W. F. Hutson, highway engineer in charge of the San Antonio district, announced. Colglazier & Hoff of San Antonio are the contractors, and they have been assembling their equipment for the work for several weeks. This section of hard-surfacing is on the highway extending from San Antonio, through Del Rio, to El Paso.

—Wednesday's Express.

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TWO GOOD FARMERS.

They are G. B. Garnett and Fritz Weber of the Utopia community.

Mr. Garnett had just finished harvesting oats last week and was lamenting, having been kept out of his "row crops" which were already cleaner than those of many who pretend to farm ever have them. He had some of his corn interplanted with cotton, both of which looked fine despite the lack of rain. His corn has never suffered like other fields as evidenced by thrifty stalks just beginning to tassle. He said he had tried that system of farming before and confidently expected a good yield. Mr. Garnett has been throwing up some terraces, on his sloping fields and though constructed without the aid of a regular farm level, he says they withstood the big rain in the spring and held much soil that would otherwise have washed off. Besides they held the water until his seed bed was thoroughly soaked. He attributes the present condition of his crop to this fact.

Mr. Weber also is proud of his clean fields and well cultivated, which show less need of rain than other fields that have received less attention. He is a great believer in early and thorough preparation of his land, and a look at his corn and other crops should convince any farmer of the value derived therefrom. He has some of his corn interplanted with peas and peanuts, which he says always make a good crop. He is practicing a "live-at-home" program of farming, giving considerable attention to such vegetables as English peas, potatoes, beans and tomatoes. The latter of these he has a fine crop as can be found in the county. He says he finds a ready market for all the surplus green beans and peas he can raise. From \$1 worth of Irish potatoes, he raised at least \$10 worth had they had to buy them. Also they had canned enough English peas to last many months from a very nominal expenditure for seed.

Mr. Weber also exhibited as fine field of oats as can be found in the county. According to his estimate, they will yield 65 or 70 bushels per acre, there appearing no rust and the straw looks as though it would be good enough for feed in itself. It is really a pleasure to look over a farm as well kept as either of these two where there is found time also to care for stock, bud pecans, and grow fruit for the family.

—Uvalde Leader News.

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DEEDS.

The following deeds have been filed for record since our last report: Matia Palacio et ux to Balentine Ballojo, warranty deed to Lots 17 and 18, in Block No. 139, of the town of Natalia. Consideration, \$425.00.

Paul Koenig et al, Trustees to Medina County, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, in Block 14, Range 8, of the town of Castroville. Consideration, \$1.00 to be used as a cemetery, irrespective of religious belief, race or creed.

R. J. Noonan, County Judge, and H. F. Buss et al, Commissioners of Medina County, to Paul Koenig et al Trustees, for the Evangelical Lutheran Zion's Congregation of Castroville, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4, in Block No. 13, Range No. 9, of the town of Castroville. Consideration, \$1.00 and exchange of lots.

Barbarita Sanchez and son to Candelaria M. D. Garza, warranty deed to Lot Six in Block No. 52, in Medina County, Texas. Consideration, \$95.00.

Hondo Light Power & Ice Company to Richard E. Daly warranty deed, 1st, all of Lots Nos. 2, 3, 8 and 9, in Block No. 47; and 2nd, all other property of the Hondo Light Power and Ice Co. wherever situated whether real or personal. Consideration, \$1.00 and other good and valuable considerations.

O. H. Miller to S. W. Floto and Thomas M. Foley, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 1220 acres of land being 143 acres out of Survey No. 9, S. A. & M. G. Co. 239 acres of land out of Survey No. 10, S. A. & M. G. Co. 161 acres of land out of survey No. 1002 1-2 J. Weber, 34 acres out of survey No. 1002 1-2 A. Causici, and 21 acres out of survey No. 1004 1-2 E. P. Irrigation Co. (2) 38 acres out of the following surveys to-wit: Survey No. 83, 1005, 107 1-2 being all of said 38 acres except Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 11, 12, and 13 in Block No. 4, and Lots Nos. 1, 2, and 18, in Block No. 6, and Lot No. 5, in Block No. 3.

F. T. Ramsey and J. M. Ramsey, Mosty Bros., warranty deed to 40 acres being a part of original survey No. 10, patented to Antonio Ludwig by patent No. 305. Consideration, \$1235.00.

Alex Boehme and Ferdinand Boehme to L. N. Ashley, warranty deed to lots No. 22 and 31, in Boehme's Addition to Lakeview Hgts. at Medina Dam. Consideration, \$500.00.

Heirs at Law of M. M. and Magdalena Koch, Deceased, to Mathias Koch, warranty deed to all that certain tract and parcel of land situated in D'Hanis, Texas, out of survey No. 441, granted to D. G. Burnett. Consideration, \$2000.00.

Mrs. Margaret Scherrer and A. Weynand, et ux, to John Strum, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 6 and 8, 9 and 10, in Block No. 8, of the town of LaCoste. Consideration, cancellation of Promissory note.

Russell-Coleman Oil Mill to O. H. Miller, warranty deed to Lots 1, 2, 4, 11, 12, and 13 in Block 4, in the Rothe Townsite. Consideration, \$50.00.

D. J. Forester and wife, Tiny Forester, to W. T. Gravell, warranty deed to 90 acres of land situated in Medina County, a part of the Gabriel Petty Survey No. 33 1-2, Abst. No. 1184. Consideration, \$3,150.

Lena Vollmer to John Vollmer, warranty deed to all her right title and interest in and to the estate of her father, John Vollmer, and all right title and interest in and to the estate of her mother, wife of said John Vollmer. Consideration, \$10,000 and other considerations.

Ernest H. Greene and H. W. Cora to Alber Hovey Peyton, et ux, warranty deed to the West half of Block Eight, Block Nine, Pecan Unit No. Three, being part of the A. Campbell Survey No. 447, in Medina County, containing 10 acres of land. Consideration, \$1,000.00.

J. J. Dreicourt and wife, et al, Adam Dreicourt, warranty deed to (1) Lots Nos. 14 and 15, out of Block No. 25, in the town of LaCoste; also 135 acres out of Survey No. 41, Cert. No. 31, Abstract No.

1884, original grantee J. E. Calder; (2) The following lands lying in Bexar County, Texas, being 128 acres of land in Survey No. 14 1-2, Abst. No. 1114, granted to Juan Martinez, by Cert. 309. Consideration \$10.00 and love and affection.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

May 12, 1926, Jose Maria Trevino and Anunciacion Cordona.

May 13, 1926, Candelario U. Barrientes and Matilda Barandez.

May 13, 1926, Pablo Nuncion and Leonor Costillo.

May 15, 1926, Selerino Lopez and Margarita Guerrero.

May 20, 1926, Antonio Garcia and Faustina Garza.

May 24, 1926, Pedro Sandobar and Tiburita Alvarado.

May 24, 1926, Antonio Chapa and Maria Matinez de la Luz.

May 24, 1926, Mathias M. Koch and Alma Bihartz.

May 26, 1926, Serafin Dominguez and Martha Gonzalez.

May 28, 1926, Clarence A. Haby and Mabel Schuehle.

June 2, 1926, William Walter Robertson and Gladys Woods.

June 5, 1926, Cornelius A. Haby and Elsie Marguerite Sittre.

June 5, 1926, Leroy L. Middelkamp and Louis E. Mac Blain.

June 8, 1926, Walter J. Saathoff and Hulda Caroline Leinweber.

BIRTHS.

March 5, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Southerland, Girl.

March 9, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Roth Chiles Adair, Girl.

March 9, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Jose Martinez, Boy.

April 15, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Chism, Boy.

April 16, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Mangold, Girl.

April 21, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Embrey, Boy.

April 27, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Burger, Girl.

May 1, 1926, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Schlottman, Girl.

May 1, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tschirhart, Boy.

May 2, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Lopez, Boy.

May 8, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Max Biediger, Girl.

May 10, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. F. Schott, Boy.

May 11, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Tarver, Boy.

May 12, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Gedeau, Girl.

May 14, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Neithenhofer, Boy.

May 15, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian S. Ward, Girl.

May 21, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Fuller (colored), Boy.

May 23, 1926, Mr. and Mrs. George Valdez, Boy.

DEATHS.

May 10, 1926, Pragedes Ruiz, about 70 years.

May 10, 1926, Dirk J. Lindeburg, 64 years.

April 11, 1926, Petra Morales Santos, 77 years.

May 9, 1926, John Turner, 70 years.

May 21, 1926, Wm. W. Fuller (colored), 65 years.

May 27, 1926, Francisco Gonzales, Jr., 1 year.

Nov. 27, 1925, Popia Southerland, 62 years.

Mar. 8, 1926, N. W. Ward, 72 years.

May 14, 1926, Maria C. Lopez, 25 years.

May 17, 1926, L. G. Coovert, 55 years.

May 17, 1926, Edward Znismeister, 69 years.

May 28, 1926, Julius Reyes, 3 years.

QUIHI NOTES.

Regular divine service, Sunday school and Bible Class will be held at Bethlehem Lutheran Church Sunday morning at the usual time. All are cordially invited to come.

The Luther League program announced to be held June 27th has been postponed to a later date.

A 4th of July celebration, with an interesting program and basket dinner and the usual games for the boys and girls will be held Saturday, July 3rd, in the Henry J. Boehle Grove at Quihi by the Quihi Luther League and Sunday school.

TO EASTERN STAR MEMBERS.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star will be held Tuesday night, June 22nd. All members are urged to be present.

MRS. ANNA BARNES, Secretary
MRS. LULA CHANCEY, Worthy Matron.

HARM J. LINDEBURG PASSED AWAY.

Harm J. Lindeburg, a highly respected and pioneer resident of the Quihi Community, met with a fatal accident last Thursday forenoon while preparing to do a little work in his garden, and passed away Sunday at 2 P. M. The passing away of Mr. Lindeburg is sincerely deplored and mourned by a large circle of relatives, neighbors and friends who knew him for many years as an upright man and as a kind and generous husband, father, friend and neighbor. The funeral services were held last Monday afternoon and were attended by practically the whole community as well as by many old friends and relatives from a distance. Rev. Hasskarl, pastor of the Quihi Lutheran church, conducted the funeral services at the home of the deceased as well as at the Quihi cemetery where the interment took place. The services were held in both German and English and were greatly beautified by congregational singing and two very suitable selections by the well trained church choir of Quihi. The floral offerings were many and exquisitely beautiful and in a measure expressed the high esteem in which the beloved departed one was held by those who knew him best. What added to the sorrow of the mourners on this occasion was the fact that a month before, May 11th, a brother of the deceased, Dick Lindeburg of New Fountain was buried on the same lot in this cemetery. Out of the biography of Mr. Lindeburg the following data was stated at the grave: Harm J. Lindeburg was born of Christian parents April 19, 1852, at Felde, Oest Frisia, and received the sacrament or holy baptism a week later. As a lad of 15 he received his baptismal covenant in confirmation and for a number of years was a devoted member of the Quihi Lutheran congregation. In December, 1868, he landed with his parents at Galveston and in January 1869 came with his parents to Quihi where for the remaining years of his life he lived and labored, taking an active interest in the development and progress of his community. March 9, 1888, he entered into marriage with Miss Anna Breiten. The issue of this union was eight children, one of whom preceeded the father in death. He is survived by his widow, his sons, Dietrich J. Harm O., Otto G., and Henry E. Lindeburg of Quihi, Mrs. Frank Mussmann of George West and Mrs. Frank Schulte of San Antonio. He is further survived by his brother, Mr. John Lindeburg, of New Fountain, 15 grandchildren and many friends. May he rest in peace. The Anvil Herald extends sincere sympathy to the bereaved widow, her family and friends.

WEEK DAY WORKERS CLASS MEETING

The Week Day Workers class of the Baptist church held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Brown with Miss Theena Crandall as hostess, at 3 P. M. Wednesday. The meeting was opened by a song and prayer, led by Mrs. W. C. Brown. The devotional was also read by Mrs. W. C. Brown after which a short business meeting was held during which Miss Annie Love was elected personal service chairman and Miss Christina Taylor group captain. The meeting was ended by a G. A. program and also a story told by Miss Theena Crandall. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mrs. W. C. Brown, Mrs. T. H. Roberts and Misses Cora Wright, Christina Taylor, Theena Crandall, Annie Love Gladys Fusselman and Mildred Ervin.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this means of expressing our thanks to our neighbors and friends for their kindness and help during the last illness of our beloved husband and father and for the sympathy for us in our great sorrow. All will be gratefully remembered and appreciated.

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A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our Regular Correspondent

Miss Thelma Langfeld

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Langfeld is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

Mrs. Angela Poerner left for Rio Frio Tuesday where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. Richard Prince.

Mr. Louis Carle Sr. returned Monday after visiting the Rio Grande Valley a few days.

Mrs. Alf Zinsmeyer and daughters, Grace and Lorine, and Miss Cornelia Koch were visitors at Hondo Tuesday.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Eug. Huesser and family and Miss Hulda Nester of Hondo and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Koch and daughter, Hazel, of D'Hanis, spent last Sunday at the Brackenridge Park at San Antonio.

Mr. Chas. Rohrbach spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Rohrbach.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brieden and Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Brieden of San Antonio were visiting relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Botot had as their guests Sunday Mr. Joe Brieden of Castroville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Batot and daughter, Lorine, of Eagle Pass, Mrs. Annie Pingnot and daughter, Louisa, also of Eagle Pass, Mr. Casper Batot, of La Grange, and Misses Ernestina Brontz, Agnes and Margriet Mandry of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Biry and family of Biry were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hy Biry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy Muenink of Hondo were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Zinsmeyer Sunday.

Mrs. N. S. Jackson of Midlothian is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson.

Miss Bessie Cowsart of San Antonio returned to her home Sunday after visiting several days with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Bergmann.

Mr. Maurice Finger made a business trip to Hondo Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rudinger, a fine boy Sunday, June 13th.

Mesdames T. E. Wyatt and Gramham and son of Sabinal are visiting Mrs. Ed. Finger this week.

Emma Jean, the little two-year-old-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lacy was taken to the Jackson Memorial Hospital Tuesday for treatment. She was accompanied there by her mother, Dr. Wood of Sabinal and Mrs. J. L. Williams.

Mrs. Mary Batot of Hondo was visiting Mrs. Louisa Batot Monday.

Mrs. Jacob Rothe and daughter, Olga, returned to their home Saturday after several days treatment at the Hondo Hospital.

Mr. Ben Langfeld made a business trip to San Antonio one day last week.

Mr. Walter Schowe of Knippa was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carle Tuesday.

Mrs. Oscar Rothe and daughter, Melvera, returned home Sunday evening after spending the week-end with Mr. Rothe, who is at the Santa Rosa Infirmary for a rest cure.

Mr. Chas. Schuehle of Hondo was a visitor here one day this week.

Mesdames John Koch and Oscar Rothe were visiting at Hondo Tuesday.

Mr. Jacob Reily of Hondo was a business visitor here Tuesday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce W. F. MILLER

as a candidate for Public Weigher of Commissioners Precinct No. 1 at the November election.



A TONIC

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value.

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 50c.

Mr. Joe Carle left for San Antonio Tuesday morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Twomey from San Antonio are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rothe.

Mrs. R. J. Zerr and family from Hondo were visiting Mrs. Mina Koch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reily Carle were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

CHAT AND STITCH CLUB.

Last Thursday afternoon Misses Thelma and Eunice Langfeld were joint hostesses to the Chat and Stitch Club. After an hour or two of needlework and chatting, a delicious plate lunch was served to the following guests: Misses Elsie Nehr and Loretta Koch, and members: Misses Nettie Rieber, Aggie Carle, Agnes Rothe, Marie Koch, Sarah Rothe, Hulda Ney, Cornelia Koch, Grace Zinsmeyer and Helen Nester.

TEACHING BY DOING.

Field tours and studies of various aspects of the farm business on the ranch will form a prominent part of the South Texas Short Course Encampment at the Medina-Hereford Ranch near San Antonio July 14, 15 and 16. Believing that folks would rather see a dairy cow ration actually mixed and fed than to listen to an exhausting lecture on the subject, that farmers prefer to tramp around looking at various new and old crops to sitting patiently through a learned discourse of the principles of crop rotation; and that seeing and doing is more interesting than listening, the A. & M. people who are giving the program announce their intention of putting on an active course for active people.

Similarly the women Specialists from the College will prepare simple dishes and simple well balanced rations; demonstrate short cuts in the household routine; and lead in the making of good looking clothes in an economical fashion.

In short, the A. & M. College, co-operating with the San Antonio Chamber of Commerce and the Ranch, is staging a real outdoor practical school for farmers and ranchers and their families. Four to six numbers of this program will be staged at every hour from nine until five, so that every boy and girl, as well as the grown folks, will have plenty of interesting things to

see and hear and do all the while.

Between times will come games, stunts, singing, swimming, and motion pictures, to say nothing of the friendly chatting together that makes this Encampment each year the one big worth-while event in the agricultural life of South Texas.

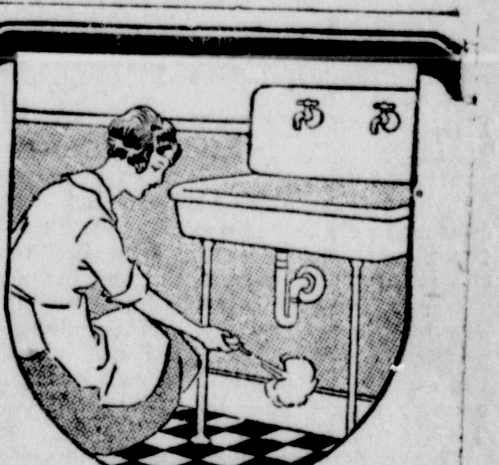
It's all free and all farmers and ranchers and their families have a warm invitation to come and make those three July days the best of the year. Ask your county or home demonstration agent.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CALLED

Notice is hereby given to the members of the Democratic Executive Committee of Medina County to meet at my office in the town of Hondo at 2 o'clock P. M., Monday, June 21, 1926, to attend to all matters that may properly come before the committee for action.

D. H. FLY,
County Chairman.

Lawn Mowers, Holloway Bros.



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They crawl up water pipes and through cracks—but you can stop them forever. Bee Brand Insect Powder will kill every one. Sprinkle or blow it into every crevice—all around your kitchen and pantry. It's harmless to mankind, domestic animals, birds and pets of all kinds, but death to roaches.

It also kills Ants, Fleas, Bugs, Bed Bugs, Moths, Lice on Fowl, and many other house and garden insects. Get Bee Brand in red sitting top cans at your grocer's or drugist's. Household sizes, 10c and 25c. Other sizes, 50c and \$1.00. Puffer gun, 10c.

If your dealer can't supply you, send us 25c for larger household size. Give dealer's name and ask for free booklet, "It Kills Them," a guide for killing house and garden pests.

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OF MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS
Charter No. 1282, Dated September 25, 1917
Loan Appraising Alternates:
Committee: Lou E. Heath, John M. Finger, F. G. Muenink
W. N. Saathoff, F. G. Senne, F. G. Senne, H. F. Wurzbach
John M. Finger, Alf. M. Finger, Chas. Metzger, Lou E. Heath, Alf. M. Finger
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SAVING TIME is just as important as saving money when buying the necessities of life. And by making as many of your purchases as possible in one place you can accomplish both results, providing you buy here.
OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT is complete in every respect and our goods are always fresh, clean and wholesome—our prices so low that you could not afford to trade elsewhere.
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The dollar or dime you spend with us stays right here at home.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting: J. H. Burgin, Guardian of the estate of Christian Elizabeth Burgin, non compos mentis, having filed in your County Court his final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Christian Elizabeth Burgin, non compos mentis, numbered 1061 on the Probate Docket of Medina County, together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship. You Are Hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Medina you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for final settlement of said Estate to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do on or before the 7th day of July, 1926, at the Court House of said County, in the town of Hondo, Texas, on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1926, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Hondo, Texas, this 10th day of June, A. D. 1926.

S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk, County Court Medina County.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County.

CITATION ON APPLICATION TO SELL REALTY.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting: You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Medina County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the estate of Jno. B. Wernette, Deceased, Wm. Rihn and Frank Grimsinger, Administrators de bonis non, have filed in the County Court of Medina County an application for an order to sell the following property of said estate, situated in Val Verde County, Texas, to-wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to Lot No. Six (6), in Block No. Eleven (11), Range No. Three (3), in the town of Del Rio, in Val Verde County, Texas, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1926, the same being the 5th day of July, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Hondo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Hondo, Texas, this 3rd day of June, A. D. 1926.

(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court Medina County, Texas.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County.

NOTICE ON ANNUAL EXHIBIT IN ESTATES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting: You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Medina County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the Estate of Mrs. A. K. Goza, Deceased, J. M. Finger, Executor of said Estate, has filed in the County Court of Medina County, Texas, an Annual Exhibit of said Estate for the year ending on the 1st day of Feb'y, 1926, which will be heard by our said County Court on the first Monday in July, 1926, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House of said County, in Hondo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said Exhibit, should they desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Hondo, Texas, this 4th day of June, 1926.

(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court Medina County, Tex.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County.

CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Medina County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the Estate of James M. Miller, Deceased, Tally B. Miller has filed in the County Court of Medina County, an application for the Probate of the last Will and Testament of said James M. Miller, Deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary of the estate of James M. Miller, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1926, the same being the 5th day of July, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Hondo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Hondo, Texas, this 4th day of June, A. D. 1926.

(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court Medina County, Texas.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Hondo, Texas, this 4th day of June, A. D. 1926.

(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court Medina County, Texas.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.

J. F. BADER, Sheriff Medina County.

CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Medina County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To all persons interested in the Welfare of Irene Schweers, minor, A. B. Brucks was by the County Court of Medina County, Texas, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1926, -parent Alexander, possessor of the estate of said Minor, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in July, A. D. 1926, the same being the 5th day of July, A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Hondo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minor may appear and contest such appointment, if they so desire.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Hondo, Texas, this 18th day of June, A. D. 1926.

S. A. JUNGMAN, Clerk County Court Medina County, Texas.

LIME AND ROTATE CROPS PAYS ME.

By V. L. Osborn, (Clarence, Ky.) I began farming ten years ago with \$500. Bought forty-two acres of unimproved land—knob and creek bottom land that was grown up very badly.

I built a good five-room house and what out buildings I needed. Have cleared the land of brush and rock until I can run any kind of machinery on it. Keep plenty of feed to feed eight to ten head of cattle, mules, and a dozen good ewes, and I have some feed to sell. I rotate my land to corn, wheat and clover and grass, and always have a clover sod for corn.

I have marketed a good deal of timber off my place and used the cull and top timber to pile in a large heap and put lime rock on and burn forty tons at a time, and I find it is a good way to get lime where one has lots of wood, and it is a great help to my land. It insures a good set of any kind of grass. I had a plot of ground I limed and sowed to clover, and the next year I mowed two good crops of hay and it grew up to eight to twelve inches high again. Last year I sold over \$500 over what we need at home. I bought more land and now own ninety acres, and I am satisfied here at home with my wife, four children and the ninety acre farm. Last season I sold \$42 worth of furs from trapping muskrats and minks.

DOING OUR BIT.

(From the Washington Post) Today the United States is producing:

- 55 per cent. of the world's iron ore;
- 51 per cent. of the world's pig iron;
- 66 per cent. of the world's steel;
- 51 per cent. of the world's copper;
- 62 per cent. of the world's petroleum;
- 43 per cent. of the world's coal;
- 52 per cent. of the world's timber output;
- 65 per cent. of the world's naval stores;
- 42 per cent. of the world's phosphate;
- 80 per cent. of the world's sulphur;
- 63 per cent. of the world's mica;
- 62 per cent. of the world's lead;
- 64 per cent. of the world's zinc;
- 60 per cent. of the world's talc and soapstone.
- 45 per cent. of the world's barytes;
- 55 per cent. of the world's cotton;
- 95 per cent. of the world's automobiles.

No other country in the world's history can show such progress and such a large share in the production of leading commodities.

And the plowman buried his share More deep in the grudging sod, For he saith, "The wheat is my care, And the rest is the will of God."

Have you subscribed for Farming yet?

THE PLOW-BOY'S WHISTLED TUNE.

By Fletcher Davis

Oh, the music that wells the truest from the heart, And bids fond memories from their slumber start, Is the sun-browned plow-boy's whistled tune As he turns the glebe on a sunny morn' in June!

Oh! there is a mighty lot of animation And a mighty tintinambulation, When the big brass band begins to play And the screaming calliope heralds circus day!

And there is love and there is life in the wild wood And all the world is sweet and fair and good When the mocking bird begins to sing To his love-mate in their nest in the early spring!

Oh! there's jollity and there's merriment galore, And merry dancing on the ball-room floor, And you hear the very sleepers creak, When the fiddles their melodies begin to speak!

And ever the mighty organ's voluminous roll Brings a benison of peace to the soul; And you seem to hear angelic wings When in the chorus grand your own sweet Mary sings!

But the sweetest music ever by mortal heard, Or ever yet the vibrant heartstrings stirred, Is the sun-browned plow-boy's whistled tune As he turns the glebe on a sunny morn' in June!

TEN WINNERS IN AUTO RACE ON FIRESTONES

For Ninth Time Gum-Dipped Tires Lead in Indianapolis.

Firestone Full-Size Gum-Dipped Balloon tires again made a remarkable showing in the Indianapolis Speedway Classic on Decoration Day, when all ten winners participating "in the money" rode on these dependable tires.

This is the second time balloon tires were used in the great speedway event, the first being last year when Peter DePaolo on Firestone Full-Size Gum-Dipped Balloons made a new world's record at an average speed of 101.13 miles per hour.

Smaller motors of 91½ cubic inch displacement, compared to 122 cubic inches in 1925, combined with rainy weather and a slippery track, slowed up the time of the 1926 winner, Frank Lockhart, who won this year's race at 95.88 miles per hour.

This years gruelling battle of tires was called at the end of 402½ miles because of the downpour of rain. Lockhart, who captured the grand prize, drove the full distance without a single tire change and was all set to go the entire 500 miles of the same set of tires.

It is a noteworthy fact, too, that the 1926 Indianapolis race was the ninth on the Hoosier Speedway in which Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires carried the winners to victory.

The terrific battle of tires brings out the effectiveness of Gum-Dipping, the exclusive process employed by the Firestone Company, which builds extra strength and endurance into the cord fabric by impregnating and saturating every fibre of every cord with rubber.

This special process minimizes friction and heat, keeping the tires comparatively cool under a continuous racing strain.

The performance of this Firestone tires at Indianapolis this year certainly was remarkable when the terrific speed at which the cars traveled over the 15-year-old rough brick track is taken into consideration.

RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CAMP.

FORT SAM HOUSTON, Texas.—Opening on June 11th and continuing until July 22nd the Reserve Officers' Training Camp at this post will be the largest since the World War. Coming from all parts of the Eighth Corps Area, which includes the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico, and Arizona, 595 students will strive to earn their commissions as second lieutenants in the Officers' Reserve Corps.

Beside the camp at Fort Sam Houston there will also be the one for cavalry students at Fort Bliss and the one for air service students at Kelly Field.

Under the able direction of Col. Charles B. Clark, camp commander, and Major Louis T. Byrne, battalion commander, both of whom have had a wide range of experience with R. O. T. C. units in our colleges and universities, the students will be divided into 2 infantry companies, 1 engineer and signal corps company, and 2 field artillery batteries. In the case of medical students, a departure from the usual order will be made this year. Instead of being combined with the students of another branch they will be quartered in the area of the Second Medical Regiment where they will receive instruction directly from the officers of their branch of service.

DOES ADVERTISING PAY? ASK THOSE WHO USE IT

Wrigleys spend \$3,500,000 a year to tell the public about chewing gum. Ford spends \$6,000,000 to sell flivvers. The electric light and power industry spends more than \$4,000,000 in advertising. Campbells spend \$1,500,000 advertising soups. Electric railway companies' advertising appropriations total \$2,500,000. The advertising budget for Colgates is \$1,185,000. Some \$1,170,000 is spent by Procter and Gamble to sell soap. Gas companies spent something more than 2,000,000. A total of \$1,142,000 is spent on Victor talking machines. Telephone companies have busy advertising lines with an estimated toll of \$1,500,000. Along each line sounds the voice with the smile. Does advertising pay? The answer is to be found in America's business, commercial and industrial trend.

SATISFACTORY.

"How did your client take his sentence?" "Not badly. It just fits in with the time when his twenty-year endowment policy matures."

DEVINE NEWSLETS

From the Devine News. County Assessor Lou E. Heath was here from Hondo Friday, winding up assessments.

HURT AT OIL WELL.

Raymond Gray, while working on Shermorhorn well near Chicon Lake, was painfully hurt when a piece of falling timber struck him, knocking him unconscious making minor bruises about his head, shoulder and knees. He was rushed to Lytle Drug store where he was given medical attention before being taken to his home.

ST. JOSEPH NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ahr of Castroville were among Sunday's visitors here. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Biry of Biry attended church here Sunday.

Rev. Leo Goertz visited at Sachatel Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rich and Rob. Rich and family of San Antonio were here Sunday.

Mr. Eric Lutz of D'Hanis spent Sunday in Devine. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salzman of LaCoste were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Haller one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Keller were here Sunday from LaCoste. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Grandjean of San Antonio were week-end guests at the Mechler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bippert and family of Moore were among the church attendants here Sunday.

FROM BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Poe and son from Ranger are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilhartz. Mrs. Ernest Bumgarten and son, Mrs. R. L. Nations and children from Semerset, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biry Wednesday.

Miss Alice Watson is spending the week in San Marcos with relatives. Messrs. Thad and Robt. Love and wife and children from Ranger and Mrs. Elbert DuBose of San Antonio were called to the bedside of their father, John Love, who is seriously sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bilhartz from Ranger arrived one day the past week to spend a while with Oscar's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilhartz.

Miss Fannie Wernette from Uvalde spent a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wernette and brothers.

Mr. Ralph Bader spent Saturday in Castroville. Miss Magdeline Biry from Hondo spent the week-end with Miss Julia Frazier.

Miss Hilda Haass and Mrs. Ed. Breiten spent Saturday evening in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and daughter, Mrs. Cooley, from Hondo were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Breiten Sunday.

Miss Nancy Humming of San Antonio is the guest of Misses Leona and Hattie Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Posch spent Friday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson of Moore and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Williams and Mrs. Lula Williams, Mrs. Chas. Bywaters and Mrs. Homer Thompson from Devine visited their uncle, Jim Morris, while he was sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Biry and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Biry at D'Hanis Sunday.

Messrs. Lou Heath and Chick Morris from Hondo visited Jim Morris here while he was sick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blackburn from Hondo and Mr. and Mrs. John Blackburn from San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackburn.

500 MEN GATHERING AND PACKING GREEN CORN.

The two rearingear shipping concerns have enlarged their capacity and employed more men this week; about 250 at work at the plants, and as many more gathering and hauling. We could not learn the exact amount shipped, but it is going out at the rate of a trainload a day now; twelve or fifteen cars, picked up by the early morning fast freight Shipments passed the 100 car mark yesterday. The heat this week has been fierce, temperature going above 100 Monday eve and several men were knocked out. Several fields of early corn, out several miles, have gotten too hard already and the young corn will suffer for rain before it matures in some places. The plants run pretty nearly all night, some nights, and one plant ran all day Sunday. Yesterday was the twelfth day for the Crockett plant; the tenth for the Melton & Driscoll, who will be here all the season, as long as they can

WANTED—FARMS, LANDS AND TOWN PROPERTY.

We have calls for Farms and Ranches, in all sizes; and town houses for sale or rent—from two to six rooms. If you have something that you can offer at a reasonable price get in touch with us and we will sell or rent it for you.

HONDO LAND CO. PHONE 127.

NICE RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

A nice five-room cottage with bathroom and two nice galleries, small barn, good well with windmill and tank, located on half acre of ground in the northeast part of town, for sale at the bargain price of \$1,900.00 on reasonable terms. Ask Fletcher Davis, Manager Hondo Land Co., Agent.

EVERYBODY HAPPY.

Maid—"No, ma'am, Mrs. Hughes is out." Visitor—"How fortunate! When I saw her peeping through the curtains as I came up the path I was so afraid she would be in."—Cassell's Saturday Journal, (London).

MEXICAN SHOT NEAR THE CHICON LAKE.

It was reported after we had gone to press last week, that a Mexican farm hand had been shot in the abdomen by another Mexican, on a farm near Natalia, or Lytle. The wounded man was taken to a San Antonio hospital, and will probably recover. So far as we know the man who did the shooting has never been arrested. It is alleged that the wounded man was a bad man and had killed another Mexican over at the Gardner ranch in Frio County some time ago, and had been shot before. The man who is alleged to have done the shooting told a very plausible story, we are informed, about shooting the man in self defense, and authorities are waiting for the recovery or death of the wounded man, and the action of the grand jury in the case, we were told, before making any arrests or having an examining trial.

Several from Devine attended the Braun funeral at Moore, Friday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Christilles, of LaCoste and Sheriff Joe Bader of Hondo were here enroute to the funeral, being relatives.

MRS. F. C. BRAUN. Mrs. Ollie M. Braun, age 41, wife of Fred C. Braun, died at a San Antonio hospital, leaving the husband, three daughters, Mrs. Beulah Rogers and Miss Viola Braun, of Moore; four brothers, P. K. Harrison, of Moore, J. H. Harrison, of Conway, G. H. Harrison, of San Antonio; H. G. Harrison of Los Angeles, California; a sister, Mrs. J. B. Blackwell of San Antonio, and her father, T. J. Harrison of Moore. The funeral was held at the Moore cemetery, Friday morning, conducted by their pastor, Rev. Bailey of Millett, and was largely attended by relatives, neighbors, any sympathizing friends.

BLOWING SOILS.

By Walter L. Monk. It is not uncommon when riding along the road to see the soil drifted sometimes as high as two feet or more beside a fence, tree, or stump, or anything that will check the force of the wind. This is especially noticeable in West Texas and on the sandy soil where there are no windbreaks in the way of forests, etc., to break the force of the wind. While it is impossible to estimate the damage done to farmers by drifting soil, the figures must run to several. Some of this loss is preventable. Part of the damage is done directly on the land, some is done on other land where the soil is blown and where it injures young plants by smothering them. Land that is bad to blow should never be fall plowed unless planted with a cover crop. All such land should be left as rough as possible. The rows should be bedded in an opposite direction from that which the wind blows. Drifting soil should never be flat-broken unless directly planted with a quick growing cover crop. Keep a harrow or anything that loosens the soil from the land until planting time. After the plants are up if the soil starts blowing, it may be checked by plowing every two or three rows. When the most plants are young is when the wind damage is done, for the roots of some blow the soil from the roots of dirt plants and smother others with dirt. Land that has a tendency to blow usually is deficient in humus. The soil can be built up to a degree by plowing under green crops, addition of barnyard manure, plowing under roughage or discing under straw that will have enough humus to hold the soil. A soil that blows should always be in a crop of some kind. Unless the soil is especially fertile farm land, it may be planted in some good grass for a permanent pasture. In a few years it can be reclaimed for farming and will probably have enough humus to hold the soil. Never burn off stalks and grass from land that blows, for they help to hold the soil and add fertility to the soil.